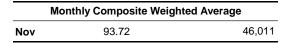
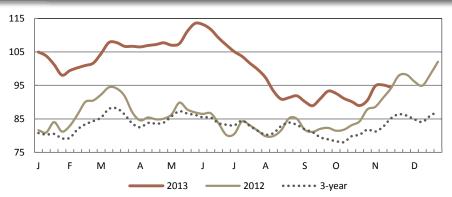


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NATIONAL COMPOSITE WEIGHTED AVERAGE

	Wtd Avg		Change	1,000 lbs.
This Week:	94.44	$\hat{\mathbb{T}}$	0.68	10,905
Last Week:	95.12			11,726
Last Year:	98.21	$\frac{1}{1}$	3.77	13,441





WEEK IN REVIEW

Prices of whole birds are trending steady. Offerings are light to moderate, however the heavier sizes are more available in the mix of spot product. Retail demand is light to good with traditional Thanksgiving holiday items receiving best interest. Food service demand is mostly moderate with many anticipating decent weekend and post-holiday movement into fast food channels. Floor stocks are mixed. Market activity is seasonally slow to moderate.

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	THIS WEEK					LAST WEEK	
	Price Range	Majority	Wtd Avg	Change	1,000 lbs.	Wtd Avg	1,000 lbs.
Whole Body:	86.00 - 121.00	93.00 - 102.00	98.24	0.04	5,242	98.20	5,361
WOGS:	87.00 - 117.00	93.00 - 99.00	96.67	0.25	1,241	96.42	1,290
NEW YORK							
Whole Body:	89.00 - 101.00	95.00 - 99.00	96.76	0.56	1,352	96.20	1,368

CENTRAL REGION

	THIS WEEK					LAST WEEK	
	Price Range	Majority	Wtd Avg	Change	1,000 lbs.	Wtd Avg	1,000 lbs.
Whole Body:	78.00 - 107.25	83.00 - 92.00	89.06	1 1.64	4,032	90.70	4,416
WOGS:	78.00 - 105.00	85.00 - 92.00	87.54	4 2.15	3,197	89.68	3,561
CHICAGO							
Whole Body:	78.00 - 107.25	83.00 - 92.00	89.95	0.66	2,355	90.62	2,475

WESTERN REGION

	THIS WEEK					LAST WEEK	
	Price Range	Majority	Wtd Avg	Change	1,000 lbs.	Wtd Avg	1,000 lbs.
Whole Body:	78.00 - 110.00	90.00 - 97.00	95.55	1.16	1,631	96.70	1,949
WOGS:	78.00 - 100.00	90.00 - 97.00	93.92	1.62	1,420	95.54	1,740
LOS ANGELES							
Whole Body:	78.00 - 108.00	90.00 - 97.00	94.03	1.79	1,276	95.82	1,634

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Negotiated prices in trucklot and less-than-trucklot quantities of ready-to-cook whole body broiler/fryers delivered to first receivers; prices in cents per pound; volume in thousands of pounds.

Eastern Region: AL,CT,DE,FL,GA,MA,MD,ME,MS,NC,NH,NJ,NY,PA,RI,SC,TN,VT,VA,WV. Central Region: AR,CO,IA, IL,IN,KS,KY,LA,MI,MN,MO,NE,NM,OK,OH,SD,TX,WI. Western Region: AZ,CA,ID,MT,NV,OR,UT,WA,WY.

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